IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN RE:

TEMPORARY SUSPENSION OF

ATTORNEY ADMISSION

CEREMONIES

STANDING ORDER

In light of the recent outbreak of coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) in the Eastern

District of Pennsylvania, and in keeping with the guidance issued by the Centers for Disease

Control and Prevention and State and local public health authorities, including the

recommendation to avoid large in-person gatherings, the Court issues the following Standing

Order, effective immediately:

1. Attorney Admission ceremonies will not be held. Attorneys seeking admission to practice

in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania pursuant to Local Civil Rule 83.5(a) may be

admitted upon completion and submission of the application and fee, subject to review by

the Court.

2. Attorneys seeking admission pursuant to Local Civil Rule 83.5(f) will be notified of a

hearing date at an appropriate time.

3. This Standing Order will expire no later than April 13, 2020, unless extended by further

Court order.

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Chief Judge

Date: March 16, 2020